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GERMANY.

*Case suspected of being plague on a steamer at Hamburg.*HAMBURG, GERMANY, *August 8, 1900.**State Department, Washington, D. C.:*

One suspected case plague reported Hamburg health board. Steward vessel from Cardiff, isolated. Progress satisfactory. Steamer quarantined. My opinion no reason [for] alarm.

PITCAIRN.

GUATEMALA.

*Report from Livingston—Fruit port.*LIVINGSTON, GUATEMALA, *July 24, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to make my report for the week ended July 24. The health condition of Livingston is still disturbed by intermittent and remittent types of malarial fevers, which are on the increase. However the fatality in these cases has so far been nil. There are no deaths reported for this week. The following ships have been inspected: July 18, steamship *Managua* (Olsirk), crew, 17; passengers, none; cargo, green fruit; all in good sanitary condition; destination, Mobile. July 24, steamship *Breakwater* (Rivara), passengers, 21; crew, 35; cargo, general merchandise; all in good condition; destination, New Orleans; certificates inclosed.

Respectfully,

SAMUEL HARRIS BACKUS,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

HONDURAS.

*Report from Puerto Cortez—Fruit port.*PUERTO CORTEZ, HONDURAS, *July 28, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit report for the week ended Thursday, July 26, 1900, and inclose list of vessels inspected and cleared. The health and sanitary condition of the port and adjacent country continue satisfactory. No death reported for week.

Respectfully,

R. H. PETERS,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

[Inclosure.]

List of vessels inspected and cleared during week ended July 26, 1900.

Date.	Vessel.	Master.	Crew.	Destination.	Number of passengers.	Number of pieces of baggage disinfected.
July 21	Nor. Ss. Banes	Fronstad	16	New Orleans, La.....	3	7
July 25	Am. Ss. Breakwater.....	Rivara.....	35do	3	4
July 26	Nor. Ss. Utstein	Aarsvald	14do	4	12